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Once Defeated Sophomores To Oppose Class Of 1957 In Fifty-Third Field Day

Tomorrow the freshman and sophomore classes will battle for athletic supremacy in the fifty-second annual Field Day contests. The two classes will meet in six different events, starting with a

crew race at one o'clock and culminating the traditional Glove Fight. In the interim there will also be a swimming meet, a football game, a tugof-war, and a relay race. The Class of 1956 will be hoping to wipe out the sting of last year's 12-9 defeat and run the sophomores record to forty wins in 53 annual battles.

The approximate starting times of of the events are listed below

Crew Charles River 12:45 PM
Swimming Alumni Pool 1:05 PM
Tug-o-War (1st pull) Briggs Field 1:30 PM
Fotball (1st half) Briggs Field 1:45 PM
Tug-o-War (2nd half) Briggs Field 2:30 PM
Relay Briggs Field 2:45 PM
Fotball (2nd half Briggs Field 3:00 PM
Tog-o-War (3rd pull if necessary)
Briggs Field 3:45 PM
Glove Fight Briggs Field 4:00 PM
Predictions Predictions

Every year The Tech sports staff makes it a point to interview two of the most reliable sources in the world of Institute sports, and obtain from them their views on the outcome of the Field Day events. Accordingly, Director Of Athletics Ivan J. Geiger and Track Coach Oscar F. Hedlund have been kind enough to give their opinions.

Events Tug-o-war Sophs Glove Fight Frosh

According to Mr. Geiger, this would give the Frosh a close 11-10 victory, while Coach Hedlund's predictions would lead to a 15-6 Soph victory.

Both men conceded the football game and the relay to the Class of '56 on the basis of experience and quality. The frosh figure to win the crew due to their excellent turnout. Practice and enthusiasm also figured to a great extent in the choices.

TCA Starts Drive With Meeting Of Representatives

The Technology Christian Associa-The Technology Christian Association took the first step in its annual back spot of the "A" formation, Tackles, Fund Drive this Wednesday at 5:00 Vaughn at tailback and Scott Loring p.m. when it invited members of the at fullback. various House Committees and representatives of the fraternities to an informal meeting at the T.C.A. office in Walker Memorial followed by a dinner in the Blue Room. After dinner, Professor Ivan J. Geiger, Director there with the knowledge that this is of Athletics, gave a short talk on the their year last game of football at value of the service and work done Tech and will go all out to maintain by the organization, especially in the field of Boys' work. A short movie of T.C.A.'s functions — the Blood Drive, the Ticket Bureau, the Book Exchange and many others — was shown to the assembly.

President Emmanuel J. Otis, '54 and week, the Sophs displayed a well Drive Director and Treasurer Daniel H. Keck, '54, urged the active aid of each man at the meeting in soliciting funds from students at the Institute. The organization fell short of its goal of \$4800 dollars last year. Instructions and material for solicitation were given out.

Also attending the meeting were Mr. Wallace M. Ross, ex-General Secretary of the T.C.A., and Mr. William H. Carlisle, '28, Director of Student Employment, both of whom are now members of the Advisory Board.

activity and must raise all its funds by means of the Drive. The Comthe organization.

Threats To Student Gov't Members Attacked By Institute Committee; Hazing Referendum November 17



An exceptional picture of legalized murder is depicted above. The scene is taken from a Field Day Glove Fight of recent years and is generally representative of mayhem to be expected tomorrow.

Soph, Frosh Pigskinners Ready For Field Day Battle

A general air of optimism prevails as the Frosh grid team enters its final practices for the traditional freshman-sophomore Field Day football game. The entire coaching stuff praised the spirit and hustle of the entire team pointing out that the frosh have improved 100% since their opener two weeks ago. The coaches lauded particularly the play of fullback Scott Loring and the entire line. Also pointed out was the superior organization and training which are expected to be an important factor in the favor of the '57 gridders. The general opinion was that the freshmen have an excellent chance of

winning. The coaches announced a tentative starting line-up consisting of: Bill Noz and "Red" Fowler at the ends, Bob Rosin and Dennis Maclain at tackle, Bill Solenberger and Bob Laurence in the guard slots, Bredbenner at center, Kirsten or Fagan at quarterback, Brenner in the blocking Ends,

Soph Outlook

Coach Dan Lickly '54 speaking for himself and Coach Tom Gross '54 said during a recent interview, "This year's Sophs as usual will be out traditional Sophomore Field Day victory."

'56 will put a 26 man squad on the gridiron confident that they will beat the Frosh. Although they were beaten by Tabor Academy 26-0 last

Institute Band Opens Season At Smith College

direction of John Corley, opened its this topic. season on Sunday, October 24 with a concert at Smith College. This was

The sixty bandsmen were entermunity Chest of Boston receives ten and afterwards at a dance given by per cent of the amount collected by the Huff'n Puffs band of Smith College.

balanced line led by Co-captains Bill Calvert and Bill Layson and charging fullback, Jim Coult in the backfield. Tym throwing to Ed Copps and Jim tion Manager.

Mulholland.

Caivert co-capt.,

All Students Will Be Taxed For 1952 "Field-Day" Damages

Recent "kidnappings" of two members of dormitory student government were the center of discussion at Wednesday's meeting of the Institute Committee. Herbert Amster, '56, and James Dugelby, '56, both members of Baker House Committee were victims of what is claimed to be a

carefully planned and executed TECH SHOW scheme. Each was, on separate occasion, tied hand and foot, blindfolded Postponed Until and left a reported 40 to 75 miles Spring Of 1954

The presentation of "Suspended In Air" has been postponed to next spring in a recent decision by the managing board of Tech Show. The student government. decision was made in the wake of a walk out by the music director of the a violator of the Open House Rules. show, Andrew Kazdin, '56. Kazdin and the other expressed his opinions withdrew his name and all rights to the music as a result of disagreement and criticism of 13 songs he wrote for the show over the summer. Of the 13 mittee, claimed that the two House songs, three were thrown out and members were told the reasons that eight more were asked to be written they were being "taken for a ride." within three weeks. According to a statement made by Kazdin to The Tech, Kazdin stated it would not be possible for him to do that in three weeks time because of studies.

Usually In December In past years, Tech Show has been presented in early December. The early production date planned this year plus the unanticipated walkout Baker Committee by the musical director has left the activity cramped for the time required Not to be overlooked is a potent pas- for an expert production in the opinsing attack with quarterback Mike ion of Thomas Doherty '56, Produc-

The managing board is now con-The starting lineup for Field Day tracting with John Hancock Hall to will be the same as for Tabor establish the exact date for the show Chairman, was reprimanded by the is not wasted," he said.

from Boston, in the middle of the night. As was brought out in the general discussion at Inscomm, there is concrete evidence that these actions were not due to the normal Freshman-Sophomore hazing. It appears that these two men were molested because of actions they took as members of One was responsible for reporting

"too freely" in a House Committee meeting. Thomas Henderson, 54, Chairman of Inscomm Judicial Com-It has also been learned that Gerald Perloff, '54, Chairman of Baker House Committee, has received threatening phone calls, warning him that he

Charles Masison, '54, Chairman of Dormitory Committee, made this (Continued on page 6)

Scores Chairman For Mail Abuses

Gerald Perloff '55, Baker House next spring. Financial losses will be Baker House Committee for inserting Copps, Jim Mulholland; slight if it is possible to change the unaddressed material into the mail Sen; reservations for the hall, according boxes of all Baker House residents. Guards, Watts, Korelitz; Center, to Marvin Harris '55, Business Man-The exact wording of the motion as Layson co-capt.; Qb. Tym; Lhb, John ager, for Tech Show. "The publicity passed in last Wednesday's meeting is as follows: "Moved, that the chairman of Baker House, Mr. Perloff, be censured for putting unaddressed literature in Baker House mail boxes in violation of Dormitory Committee regulations."

Charles Masison '53, chairman of Dormitory Committee, said in a telephone interview with The Tech that he informed the Baker House Commit-

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into its thermal counterpart. To do this, the Institute is using flat plate collectors which are actually one way heat traps to prevent reradiation of the heat wavelength. This heat energy Rain And Leaves

Cause Flood In THE TECH Office

The combined effects of heavy rain and autumn leaves flooded the basement of Walker Memorial and the front office of The Tech last Wednesday night. The inrush of water momentarily slowed, but did not entirely interrupt, the work of the staff.

The evening lull in Wednesday's rain was interrupted late in the evening by a sudden downpour. The first report of this rain was received at the Boston Weather Bureau office at

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Cabot Grant Enables Institute To Review Solar Energy Uses

By Fredric Gordon '56

A new research committee has recently been formed at the Institute to review the field of solar energy. Under the chairmanship of Professor Hoyt C. Hottel of the Chemical Engineering Department, and including Professor Hans Mueller of the Physics Department, Professor Ascher H. Shapiro of the Mechanical Engineering Department and Professor Walter H. Stockmayer of the Chemistry Department, this committee will investi-The M.I.T. Concert Band, under the gate new possible fields of activity in

Solar energy research is not new to the Institute, having been started the first of several engagements which fifteen years ago by the grant of Dr. will take the band to a number of G. Cabot, of the Geodfry L. Cabot T.C.A. is a completely non-profit colleges in the New England region. Company, makers of carbon black. The program has varied during its tained before the concert at a picnic time at the Institute and presently is divided into two main branches.

The first of these two is the utilization of solar energy for conversion

is stored by having it heat water or air fins. The principal is ellusively simple but optimum conditions are very difficult to attain and the efficiency goes down as the heat collection rises. The Institute runs its own Solar House under the supervision of Dr. Ostend Whillier. This house is now occupied by a student and his family with the objective of (Continued on page 3)

OFFICIAL NOTICE

All classes will be suspended on Saturday, October 31, Field Day. Office of the Registrar

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Editorials

TAXATION WITHOUT JUDICIOUSNESS

When pre-Field Day activities last year resulted in damages amounting to approximately \$1210, Institute Committee fully realized that a touchy issue had been created. The Institute indicated that it had no intentions of covering the loss, and the buck was passed to student government. Last year's Inscomm succeeded in prolonging a decision on the matter and its procrastinations promptly resulted in the responsibility being shifted to the present Institute Committee.

The fraternities accused the dormitories for the damages incurred and the dorms were quick to absolve themselves of all guilt. claiming that only fraternity men were involved. The freshmen blamed the sophomores, who in turn reciprocated with accusations and charges of their own. What each group failed to realize, however, was that this was clearly the responsibility of student government as a whole; that, barring the detection and apprehension of the few individuals specifically involved, student government and all those directly responsible for the very institution of Field Day and its allied activities should stand ready to cover the loss. Unfortunately, however, Institute Committee interpreted this as just cause for a per capita assessment (which, for the members of the Classes of '54, '55, and '56, amounts to approximately 50 cents per person).

The logic followed was that it was essentially unfair to tax anyone other than the specific group of individuals doing the damage. It was felt too, that it would be equally unfair to have the Classes of '55 and '56 accept financial responsibility inasmuch as the damages could not actually be directly attributed to them. The argument then, essentially boiled down to this. If we have to assess a certain amount of people, of which only a small portion is responsible, the group paying should be made as large as possible to alleviate the individual financial load. In other words, "if we are going to be unfair at all, we should spread the unfairness over as large a group as possible." Objections were evidently forthcoming and were immediately raised.

Primary opposition came from the Class of '57 who, it was claimed, was "as innocent as a new born babe" of last year's unfortunate events. This argument could certainly not be refuted, and the Freshman Class was hastily excused from further obligation. The problem of taxing the members of the Class of '53, who should certainly be included among the large group over which the "unfairness must be spread" was found unsolvable.

Now. to us, this is visibly an inconsistency; an inconsistency which unfortunately could easily have been avoided if Institute Committee had kept its head clear and unmuddled. What it failed to realize is that this problem is clearly one to be solved by the collective actions of the students through student government and not by the students themselves. We cannot deny that the student body, and not the Institute should pay for damages that student activities have caused. But student government itself should face up to the responsibility. The \$1210 should have come from any one of the numerous funds available to it. Institute Committee should have at its disposal a sum of money for use during its session in office. If its initial budget does not make provisions for this, it most certainly should in the future.

If the payment of so large an amount will prevent its use for more profitable activities for the students then we must realize more vividly that it is the price that we must pay.

FIELD DAY MENTIONED—SATISFIED?

It has been the tradition of The Tech, in its issue preceding each annual Field Day, to editorialize on the relative, and highly controversial qualities, and questioned desirability of this overtouted institution. Unfortunately we cannot raise ourselves above the burdens of tradition. So, for the benefit of the old guard we hereby mention Field Day. May we say; "Let the best Class win."

Thus let it never be said that The Tech refused to recognize spirit when it saw it.

Institute Lists University Travel after hours Approved Tutors; Sponsors Students Standardized Fee In Foreign Study

by Frank Sarno, '55 Many frosh and sophs have trouble with their studies about this time every year whether the cause is rivalry antics or one of any number of other reasons. This situation has prevailed, and probably will continue to exist as long as the Institute.

What should be done is a question the Institute asked over twenty years ago. The solution, proposed then by Doctor Karl T. Compton, exists today as a group of Approved Student

In 1933 when Dr. Compton felt a need to extend the means of aiding worthy students to meet the cost of an Institute education, an Administrative and Faculty Council voted to establish a list of student tutors in first and second year subjects. Any registered student, not at the same time a member of the staff, would be eligible to apply for position on the list with preferences given to upperclassmen and graduates.

At present there are 28 approved student tutors, 13 of which tutored last year in Course 2, 5, 6 and 8 subjects as well as Mechanical Drawing and Mathematics for first and second vear students.

The technical competence of prospective tutors is passed upon by the

OMISSION*

Unfortunately, the letter as it appeared in Tuesday's issue of THE TECH was unsigned. Its author was Professor Ivan Geiger, Director of Athletics. Our apologies to Professor Geiger.

American college students are being given opportunities for serious academic study and foreign travel by the American College Council for Summer Study Abroad, a non-profit organization founded in May, 1953. This council, which includes such colleges as Amherst, Barnard, Bryn Mawr, Mount Holyoke, Oberlin and Radcliffe, is sponsored by the Bureau of University Travel, which gives participating students the benefit of its experience and resources in arranging travel and living accommodations.

The Council, which plans its own curriculum, offers a six-week course. of study in foreign countries, including frequent visits to points of interest. Membership in this organization is restricted, so that only qualified students may participate.

Heads of the Departments responsible for the subjects in which they desire to tutor while character and other qualifications are appraised by the Dean of Students. The standard fee charged is \$3.00 per hour.

Students desiring the aid merely have to apply at Dean Speer's office in 7-133. A tutor will then contact the student and arrange a time and place amenable to both parties. Such an arrangement provides for teaching on an individual basis as opposed to reviewing with a group.

In order to have students feel free to consult members of the staff about their work, tutoring by staff members in first and second year subjects for fees was discontinued.

Students interested in the tutoring system are asked to leave their name with Dean Speer's secretary.

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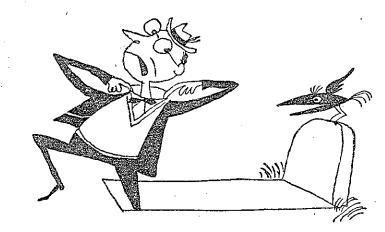
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What's buzzin', Cousin?



A sophomore at a midwestern college was bothered by buzzing in his ears and headaches. He went to doctor after doctor ...had his appendix and tonsils removed...his teeth pulled. But nothing helped. Finally, the doctors gave up and told him he had only 6 months to live.

The young fellow decided to "live it up" for his last 6 months. First, he went to his college sportswear shop for the smartest sport shirts money could buy. Naturally, he chose Van Heusen's VAN GAB.

"VAN GAB is completely washable," beamed the salesman. "See the saddle-stitched trim about the collar and pockets. Feel the silky texture of the fabric. And only \$5.95. With a 15 neck like yours, I suggest a Medium size."

"Don't waste my time," snapped the fellow. "Give me one of each of the 18 smart solid colors. Size 14."

"But sir," gasped the salesman, "your neck is much larger than a 14. You need at least a 15."

"I've worn a 14 all my life, and I don't feel like changing now," replied the youngster, greatly annoyed.

"Okay," muttered the salesman. "But I warn you, that tight collar will give you buzzing in the ears and headaches!"

by Bjorn A. Rossing '56

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30
M.I.T.—its the Junior Prom at the Hotel
Statler. Those who plan to go by car
should review the parking situation in the
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Simmons—Ye Old Halloween Dance is tonight at Alumnae Hall, opposite Beth Israel. The Science Club's acquaintance dancing will start at 8. REFRESH-MENTS & ADMISSION FREE.

ATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

Wellesley—Wellesley femininty will entertain you at their Halloween Dance in Aluminae Hall. However everyone must wear a mask which will be removed sometime during the evening. "The Lady or the Tiger". Admission 75c, 8-12.

M.I.T.—Hal Reeves and his Orchestra provide the music for the informal second night of the Junior Prom. To many students, this dance will be their Field Day Dance. 8-12, Georgian Room of the Hotel Statler.

THEATRE

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Emerson College—tonight Emerson's Drama Workshop will present Tennessee Williams' "Summer and Smoke". It is a poignant drama of a minister's daughter for the local doctor's son. The theater is located on the Esplanade at Berkeley Street and the ADMISSION IS FREE. Harvard—"The Male Animal" at the Phi Eta Theater in Cambridge. This celebrated comedy by Tames Thurber and Elliott Nugent will be presented by the Harvard Dramatic Club Saturday night and will be repeated on November 4, 5, and 6.

Scollay Square—All eyes are glued on Rose LaRose at the Old Howard Athenaem this week and, as a matter of fact, her costume resembles a peacock's tail. This week she will alternate between Lyly's "Apollo and Campaspe's" with an occasional sally into "Gorboduc" and "Sejanus".

NEW ENGLAND TOUR

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NEW ENGLAND TOUR
for out of town prom dates
Boston Common and the Public Garden—
Franklin Park—in Dorchester, has a carousel, a zoo, a golf course, and many other attractions in its 600 acres.

Arnold Arboretum—largest tree museum Arboretum-largest tree museum

of the world. Marine Fark—nostou maintains and Aquarium here.
Blue Hills Reservation—reservation has close to 6000 acres. Great Blue Hill is the highest point of land on the Atlantic Coast south of Maine and north of

highest point of land on the Atlantic Coast south of Maine and north of Florida.

Bunker Hill Monument—"Don't fire 'til you see the whites of their eyes".

House of Seven Gables—Turner Street, Concord. This is the house which Nathaniel Hawthorne used as the scene for his book "The House of Seven Gables".

John Hancock Tower—the observation galleries in Boston's skyscraper are open weekdays, 9:30-11 am, 2-4 pm.

Custom House Tower—a fine view of Boston Harbor. Elevators run to tower until 3:30 pm.

The Museum of Science—Saturday 10-5, Sunday 2-5

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a cocktail "on the house" after your dinner.

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ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY **LECTURE**

The M.I.T. Astronomical Society will present a free lecture on the solar system in room 10-275 at 7:30 p.m. this Wednesday, November 4, 1953. The lecture will be given by Robert White, president of the Society, and will consist of a number of photographic slides.

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Roaming Senior Loses Battle Walt Kelly Tells About Pogo With French Railway System

By Benjamin Hayeen '54

coaches were detached from the train, accelerate my trip. thus stripping it down to a highly My head began to burst with pride awares; it was a below-the-belt at- proclaimed, "I go to M.I.T., see!" tack, and I responded likewise. Flourishing my third-class ticket, I entered "Nous avons un homme qui est mal for a reprisal.

"Que faites-vous ici?" screamed the collector at me, after we had gone receded into the oppressed masses. I - are you doing here?"

than travel first-class my modesty Never argue with the French. prevailed upon me to accept second. This immediately became the crux of the affair, because his charge was that running into any channel-swimmers. I belonged in the third-class, where- The water was so calm that I was upon I triumphantly informed him tempted to attempt the crossing sans that the train had no third-class car- steam power, but being a Techman riages. This discovery was not new to I decided to save my swimming prowhim, and he promptly suggested that ess for the Charles River. I don't I should have waited another day for think anybody has ever crossed it the train with third-class accomodations. But I was late, I was in a hurry, I explained, I couldn't waste another

, Baker Committee

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tee of the rules regarding the placing of unaddressed material in mail boxes, amine the face on them. The King saying that each activity on campus stared back at me, as if to remind me is allowed to place one piece of un- that I was there under his protection. addressed literature in mailboxes dur- I was thus meditating when the shilling the term. Mr. Masison also stated ings slipped and fell under the train. Tuesday, November 3 that Mr. Perloff did not represent an My last means of support was gone. 8-9 CONCERT HALL activity when he used the mail boxes But no-I needed those coins. Without cream in the attempt to calm my to distribute a personal letter and hesitation I slipped off my jacket and allegedly agitated nerves." What I

of a motion stating that the recent riage wheels and retrieve the wily two shillings, and received an ice action of the Dormitory Judicial Com- coins. I emerged from underneath to cream. I waved merrily at the crowd mittee in expelling a Baker House find a crowd of excited Britishers. I as we puffed out on the way to Lonresident, Edward Pulsifer '55, for vio- assured them that I was not attempt- don. lation of open house hours was too ing suicide, and besides, the train was severe. John Seiler '55, chairman of not due to leave for a few minutes the Dormitory Judicial Committee, ex- yet. "You might have got crushed, plained the present policy of the com- old chap," said one. "Guvnor," said mittee to the Baker House represent the guard, "I've seen some people Prime Condition, Nationally Famous

Solar Energy Research

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learning the economic feasibility of solar heating.

The second of these two fields deals more with the chemical side of the matter. Professor Lawrence J. Heidt is now investigating the storage of solar energy in chemical form. He is working with the production of hydrogen and exygen by photosynthesis. Professor George H. Buchi is doing research on the uses of organic substance in photochemistry.

Power Production

Other subjects being looked into include power production from heat energy. Although possible this has proved economically unsound at present. The distillation of fresh water from the sea is also under consideration as is the production of electricity by heating of thermocouples. The latter system has an efficiency of only six percent and needs great improvement to gain any degree of commercial practicability.

It is hoped that the research committee will be able to shed new light on the many uses of solar energy and by so doing take a long step forward toward making its use practicable in every day life. Solar energy is still a young field, and applications are theoretically unlimited.

on both sides, and due to my lack The French are known to possess of French-sounding words I was slowthe ability of producing speech in vol- ly being overwhelmed. Finally, I deuminous quantities, and I was intent cided to use my trump card, and I on breaking this reputation by out- waited for the opportunity. He was talking a Frenchman. The situation asking me why I was in such a hurry, was such: at Paris the third-class and what was it that compelled me to

capitalist conveyance for only first as I drew myself up to my full height and second-class ticket holders. This (5 feet, 3 inches), unbuttoned my shrewd move certainly caught me un- jacket, pointed to my broad chest, and

"Sapristi!" exclaimed the conductor. a second-class carriage, and waited a la tete!" - which means, "That don't cut no ice with me, boy!"

I was vanquished. Once more some distance from Paris. "What the could even see now how revolutions were caused in France by such arro-I smiled back at him from behind gance. I was in no mood to resist, so my mask of innocence and said, in I paid the difference in fare. In fact, healthy American, "H'ya, old chap! my morale was so utterly ruined that Institute was visited by Walt Kelly, pictures of such personalities as Pogo What are you all hepped up about?" when the passport inspectors came dear to the hearts of 37 million Pogo himself, Beauregard, Deacon, Mole, He grabbed at my ticket and point- around I answered all their questions fans. ed at the small print which pro-truthfully. I didn't have a visa. My claimed that I was one of the down- humility amazed even myself. I did trodden masses who bought only not argue, but meekly admitted to my third-class tickets. The discussion be- illegal crossing of France, I begged by a burst of applause from the lishers. gan in earnest now that he had un- to be excused, and promised to leave throng. veiled my plebeian character, and I French territory at my earliest poscountered with the argument that I sible convenience. A fine was imposed, was really of noble descent, but rather and paid with no further trouble.

> We crossed the Channel without without sinking in its sludge.

The train to London was not due to leave for a few minutes, so I whiled Schu leave for a few minutes, so I whiled away the time by carefully scrutinizing the people around me. They were all awfully nice and obliging to the extreme. I had only two shillings on which to exist, but I was sure that day! A new flood of words followed away the time by carefully scrutinizwhich to exist, but I was sure that Monday November 2 I would make friends fast. I turned over the shillings in my hand to exmoney-crazy, but not this!" "Egad," said another, "he must be off his rocker." Someone bought me an ice



Tuesday afternoon at 5:00 p.m., the | morous comments, he drew several

The lecture on the problems of a cartoonist soon became a friendly talk about the characters appearing in the the queries of the massed Pogo fans,

As Kelly walked in he was greeted to the necessity of dealing with pub-

At the end of the talk, after spending about fifteen minutes in answering strip. Punctuating his talk with hu- Kelly was mobbed by admirers.

> Schubert: Trout Quintet Schubert: Rosamunde Ballet 9-10 M. I. T. CONCERT BAN 10:15-12 MUSIC FOR MU-31 Quiz Review Wednesday, November 4 8-10 CONCERT HALL

Berlioz: Requiem
10:15-12 MUSIC IMMORTAL
Franck: Symphony in D
Rimsky-Korsakoff: Scheherazade
Debussy: La Mer
Thursday, November 5 Hayden: Symphony 43
Grieg: Piano Concerto in A
Prokofeff: Symphony 5
Macdowell: Piano Concerto 2
10:15-12 MUSIC IMMORTAL
To be announced Friday, November 6

8-9 CONCERT HALL
Beethovan: Prometheus Overture
Genius at the Keyboard
9-10 MUSIC FOR THE SAVOYARD
Gilbert & Sullivan show from Radcliffe

'56, '57 Relayers Ready For Battle In 53rd Field Day

Twenty-four Sophomore and Freshman racers are in top condition for the Field-day relay race tomorrow afternoon, as the Class of '57 clashes with the Sophs in the 53rd annual Field Day. Twelve 220 yard dashes make up the relay race.

1946 marks the year in which Freshman last won the relay race. In the 53 years of Field Day history, Sophs have collected 41 wins, dropping only 8 with two dead heats in 1902 and 1904. Only once could Freshmen register wins in this event twice in a row-in 1929 and 1930, while from 1917 on the younger class lost 12 years consecutively. Frosh took the relay races in five of the thirteen years they won Field Day, about 39 percent, compared to only 17 percent total relay races won.

Sophs Have Speed

The speed seems to lie on the Sophomore side again this year, judg-Porkypine, and many others. He spoke ing by the qualifying heats run off Room 10-250 was jammed to the on several topics, ranging from his by Coach Oscar Hedlund in order to rafters long before the guests arrived own viewpoint toward his characters sellect the top 15 men of each class as the representative squads. Heffman ran his lap in a fast 23.8 seconds, while Saloma and Mozzicato placed second for '56 with 24.5 seconds each. Burrows, McDonald and Brattin tied for third place, 24.8 seconds.

On the Freshman side, McArthur handed in the fastest time, racing 220 yrds. in 24.7 seconds. It took Denn 24.8 seconds for 2nd place, and H. Smart and Currie 24.9 seconds.

The class of 1934 set a record as Sophomores, racing the 12 laps in 4.47:6 minutes.

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WMIT SCHEDULE OF CLASSICAL MUSIC

Sunday, November 1

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4-6 MUSIC OF THE 20TH CENTURY
Bartok: Sonata for two pianoes & percussion
Stravinsky: Petrouchka
Gould: Interplay
6-8 MUSIC ROOM
Brahms Program
Trio for horn, violin, piano
German Requiem
8-10 CONCERT HALL
Schumann: Symphony 2 8-9:30 CONCERT HALL Berlioz: Harold in Italy

Rachmaninoff: Rhapsody on a theme
Paganini
Handel: Faithful Shepherd Suite
Weber: Euryanthe Overture
10:15-12 MUSIC IMMORTAL
Tchaikovsky: Piano Concerto Grofe: Grand Canyor Ibert: Saxophone Co

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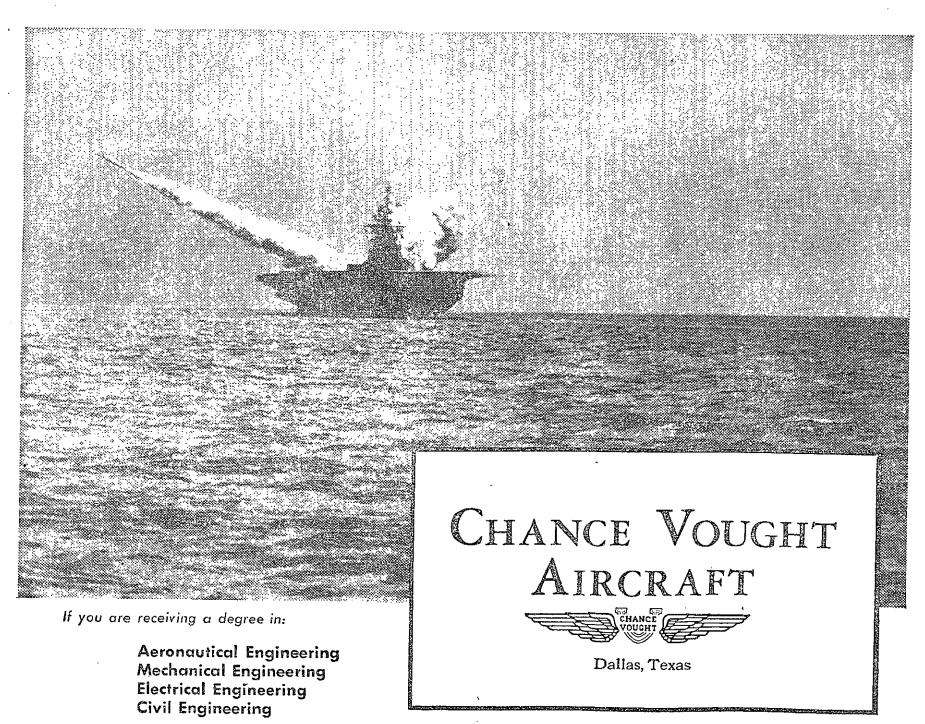
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CENTRAL SQUARE

In March, 1953, the Department of Defense disclosed the existence of the Chance Vought guided missile, the Regulus, designed under the sponsorship of the Navy Bureau of Aeronautics for launching from submarines, surface ships and shore bases. In May, 1953, the Navy Bureau of Aeronautics announced that Chance Vought had won a design competition for a new Navy Day Fighter, it being selected as the design best suited for Navy requirements from designs submitted by eight aircraft manufacturers. This engineering work was added to the current Chance Vought projects, the F7U-3 Cutlass and the attack

airplane, the A2U-1. Moreover, other research and development programs which will shape the aircraft designs of the future are being carried out at the present time.

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Sophomores Hold Wide Margin In Previous Events

When looking through the results of Field Day activities in recent years, it is interesting to note that Freshmen lead in only one of the six annual events-7 wins to 5 defeats in swimming in the last 12 years. Currently, they enjoy a 3 year winning streak in the sport.

The Glove fight also is among the closest contests with Sophs claiming but one more victory than Frosh, 13.12.

The longest winning streak either organization can claim is 12. The Sophomore of 1917—1928 captured every relay race in this period. In this event the Frosh have been very acking, taking only 8 of the 49 decided contests, 2 being ties.

Football presents Sophomores with $_{
m 8}$ 7 game winning line in the last 7 vears. In fact, the last time a Freshman class has won the football game on field day in back in 1936. No games were played in 1943, '44, and 45 Ties in '37, 38 and '42 give Sophs thirteen years in which they have not lost a football game.

Compilations

* SSSSSSSSSFFF FFFSSFFSFFFF TOTALS Slove Fight Field Day Won:

Field Day Crews Finish Training

The Freshman and Sophomore trews are now making final preparations for their Field Day race. Both squads, although having only one week's practice in racing shells, have shown proper co-ordination during rial runs. The race, approximately hree-fourths of a mile in length, begins at the Tech boathouse and ends it the Harvard Bridge.

The Soph boat, led by coxswain Storrey, consists of Perry, Bahman, Reis, Norwood, Miller, Fleming, Soushy and Congdon. They will be eeking a report of last year's win wer the class of '55. Pitted against 66 is the '57 shell, which had not yet een determined at press time. Out of posible sixty-five condidates, these ine men will be selected by their eam-mates to represent their class.

Frosh Short Favorites

The Frosh should be slight favorites ecause of their large numbers, and ut of the sixty-five candidates, four r five have had previous experience. ophomores having won numerals are leligible for this event which means hat the entire Soph crew are novices. his should lead to an interesting and ose race.



Another scene from the Field Day battleground in a recent tug-o-war.

Field Of Battle Swimming Meet

will be the scene of Tech's one and only officially sanctioned riot, the Glove Fight.

selves in battle formation.

object of this friendly brawl is to cap- ference between victory and defeat. ture as many gloves belonging to the other class as possible. Those who are under the delusion that this is the men, but have only two swimmers real truth will be fighting to win as who can be classified as top-notch. many of the red soph gloves or the No amount of persuasion could get white mittens of the frosh as they

However, the uneducated proletariat is generally under the delusion that the thing the class of '56 had to offer. His victory in the Fight goes to the class big problem is to figure out whether which is wearing the most clothes at to play his aces in the medley or the the end of the encounter. So there are likely to be more square yards of clothing strewn on the field at the end throw his strength into the medley than gloves in the barrels.

gentle reader that honesty and fair have to rely on his depth to get the play are not necessarily inherent in the Glove Fight. A good example of the sidelines with all the '55 gloves. However, the frosh won a moral victory, as a large number of sophomores 11 points can be gained by winning retired from the fray sans pants.

the trickery and deceit that often prevail in the battle occurred two years ago. It seems that a truck drove up before the fight and escaped with all the freshmen gloves.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

After Glove Fight | Promises Thrills

Tomorrow afternoon Briggs Field tudes of the rival coaches, Don Bailey The historic field will run rife with all the way. The mentors have blood and with what used to be clothes staunchly refused to announce their as various and sundry riff-raff of the lineups until the beginning of the classes of '56 and '57 array them- meet, both Bailey and Wright main-The powers that be state that the their top swimmers will spell the dif-

vantage, boasting several good aqua Wright to disclose the names of his two stars, but he seemed confident they could hold their own against anyfreestyle relay. 11 points are needed to win the meet; so if he were to (5 points for first, 3 for second, 1 for It is our sad duty to inform the third) and win that race, he would there and a third in the medley. regardless of which race they make your guess. themselves the strongest in. Of course both relays, but the frosh are given An even more flagrant instance of little chance of accomplishing this.

Sophs Lack Depth

Bailey, who has seven outstanding team members but lacks the depth of his rivals, must use his top swimmers to the best advantage possible if the class of '56 is to reach the magic figure of 11. The big seven are: free-All tennis matches including the stylers Bob Jantzen, Quin Solem, Joe semi-finals must be played by Novem- Hamlet, Bob Sullivan and John Reynber 2, or both participants will be ders, backstroker Barry Brown and breast stroker Fred White. Obviously

Clothes To Litter Frosh - Sophomore

Judging by the tight lipped attifor the Sophs, and Rev. Wright for the men of '57, tomorrow's Field Day swim meet looks like a close affair taining that strategic placement of

The frosh have a great depth ad-



The case of the Unapproachable Alumnus

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'This was Rough on the Old School, but nobody had a solution—until the football coach, a Brain in his own right, came up with a Magnificent but Simple Idea. He dashed down to the Western Union office and dis-

patched a Telegram saturated with Old School Spirit and dedicated to the theme that unless some Noble Soul came through pronto, the eleven would be playing barefoot and jersey-

The ice jam was broken. A Fat Check arrived the next day. Today things are back on a Normal Financial Basis.

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ATO Wins Replay Game; All-Star Game Proposed

After three perfect football weekends, old man weather reared his ugly head Sunday and prevented the intramural season from reaching the playoff stage. On Saturday, however, three teams managed to reach the finals in the loser brackets, while ATO defeated East Campus 2-0 in the replay of the protested second half.

Alpha Tau Omega tenaciously hung on to their narrow 2-0 margin as they throttled a desperate East Campus eight. The fast charging ATO line took up where they left off last week as they rocked East Campus time and time again. East Campus now meets Beta Theta Pi for the dubious honor of facing ATO again.

Theta Chi tuned up for its return natch with Delta Tau Delta by drubbing an inept SAM team, 30-0. Dave Denmen, Hal Richman, and Dick Rush, led the assault as the Theta Chis scored at will. The final two games saw Sigma Chi edge a suprisingly tough Pi Lamda Phi team, 12-6, and Delta Kappa Epsilon upset Sigma Nu, 12-0.

All-Star Proposal

In the very near future, The Tech sports department will send out questionaires to all the 32 teams in the four intramural football leagues chosen. The purpose of this form is to determine if the houses want an allstar game, and if so, how the team is to be chosen. At this time, Director of Athletics Ivan Geiger has indicated his approval of an all-star game with some Boston college, or the allstars playing the Institute intramural champs.

To give the houses some idea of who's who in intramural play, The Tech has compiled the following sta-

Brown and White will be in the medto where he'll place his freestylers. There's a strong chance that he might shoot the works and try for a doublewin in the medley and freestyle. But then again he could "load up" in the freestyle, hoping for a one-two finish

Whatever combinations Wright and additional six points by taking a suffi-Bailey manage to work out on their cient number of seconds and thirds. slide rules by one o'clock tomorrow this is to be found in last year's The freestyle is scored on a 6-4-2 afternoon, the meet shapes up to be begin Monday. November 2, in the tussle, is which a few sophs, appar- basis; thus '57 must take at least a real thriller, and the final score Armory under the direction of Coach ently the retiring type, withdrew to one first, one second, and one third should be 11-10. '56 or '57? That's Rogers. All interested members of the

LEAGUE LEADING SCORERS
Team Points Phi Gamma Delta Delta_Theta Hoffman East Campus

Fourteen Games Announced For Tech Hoopsters

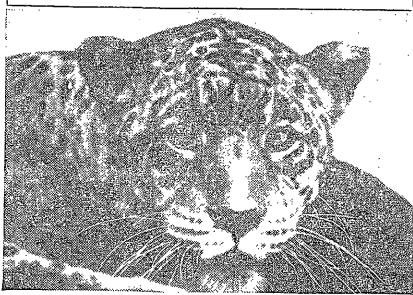
M.I.T. will play a fourteen game varsity basketball schedule, it was announced by Ivan J. Geiger, Director of Athletics. The Beavers' season will open on December 5 at Lowell Textile and close March 3 with Tufts. Robert "Scotty" Whitelaw will start his second season as varsity coach. The schedule: December 5 at Lowell Textile; December 8, Trinity College; December 12 at American International College; December 15 at University of New Hampshire; January 7, Boston University; January 13, at ley, but Bailey won't give any hint as Northeastern University; January 16, Coast Guard Academy; January 20, Worcester Polytechnic Inst.; February 13, New Bedford Textile; February 15. Bowdein College; February 20, Wesleyan University; February 23 at Univ. of Mass.; February 27, Stevens Institute of Tech.; March 3, Tufts College.

> Freshman basketball practice will Class of 1957 are urged to come out.

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Institute Committee

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statement concerning the situation. "Student Government autonomy is in danger as a result of these occurrences."

Henderson said that his committee was working on the cases, but that leads' were few and that an immediate solution was not in the offing. He hinted that outside "thugs" may be involved and made specific mention of the Boston University Football Team. He proposed the following resolution, which was accepted by the committee. Resolved: "Deploring the irresponsible actions of the students who have chosen threats and physical violence as a retaliatory measure against members of student government who have been performing their appointed duty, the Institute Com-. mittee pledges its continuing support to all members of student government and further warns all students of the gravity of any such actions which could deprive our undergraduates of their traditional autonomy and freedom."

The latest report indicates that the kidnapped students were apprehended in their rooms about the hour of midnight, and removed in an efficient, business-like manner from the building. Everything seemed prearranged and well-timed; physical resistance on the part of the victims being rendered

futile by sheer weight of numbers One of the victims scratched his own face, in his attempts to remove the blindfold by rubbing his head against the pavement. The victim described the experience as very harrowing, both physically and mentally.

Individual Students Taxed

In several other actions on various held in conjunction with the general proposals, Inscomm reached several elections to be held on November 17. important decisions. It was moved The ruling in question was the one and passed that all the members of which reads; "that all cases of hazthe Classes of '54, '55, and '56 be ing off campus which are reported to equally assessed to cover the cost of the Judicial Committee or which they the pre-field day damage that occur-learn about independently shall be red last year, principally in the dormi-subject to Judicial Committee action. tories. The Class of '57 was exempted, Forcing an individual off campus shall leaves, and water had collected there because they were not at the Institute be considered hazing." An amendlast year, and it was thus held that | ment is also included which provides | office of The Tech was flooded to a they could not possibly be responsible for intensive publicity, and recomfor any of the damage. How this as-|mending leniency in penalties until the sessment is to be collected was not new ruling is adequately publicized. decided upon at this time.

quires Institute Committee to hold motion which has become a contraverreferendum concerning the recent rul- sial issue. It requires a two-thirds maing by Institute Committee on Fresh- jority of at least a 30% turnout of all men hazing. The referendum will be undergraduates to pass.

Structural Design Features Of The Dorrance Bldg.

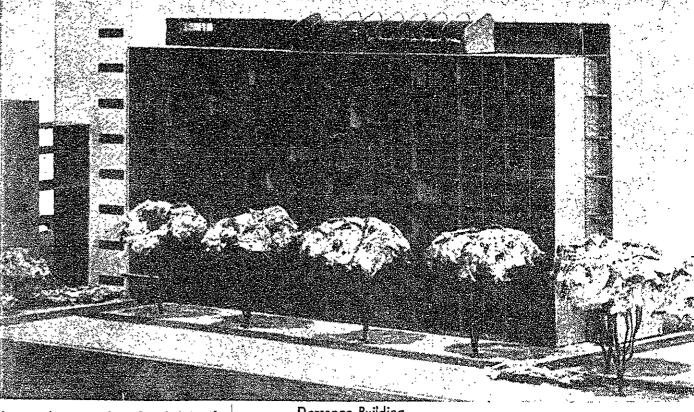
The Dorrance Building, new twomillion-dollar headquarters for the Departments of Food Technology and Biology, was featured in the October issue of Progressive Architecture. Completed last year, the building was designed by the firm of Anderson and Beckwith, both of whom are professors in the Department of Architecture.

The article stressed the flexibility of the building and the advanced provisions for mechanical equipment and services. "An essential was a flexible and efficient arrangement of ventilation and exhaust ducts and the diverse laboratory services (hot and cold water, steam, compressed air, gas, waste lines). And this, again, became an important determinant of the structural design."

The plan, structure and mechanical services are, in the words of the magazine, "so exceptionally inter-related that it is almost impossible to consider one without considering the others." In plan, the building is composed of bays eighteen feet square. Of the two rows of such bays that make up each floor, the northern one is devoted to laboratories and the southern one includes the corridor, offices, seminar rooms, and research

These bays can conveniently be divided in half if smaller (9 ft. wide) cial detailing of the outer skin of the

The petition essentially calls for an A petition was received which re-expression of student opinion on this



the services are introduced into the labs at nine-foot intervals from a glass or insulated metal panels from central group of pipes and ducts above the floor to the height of lab tables, the lowered ceiling of the corridor. A according to the function of the space. novel system of supporting beams on top of the girders through the center ure, "the architects report that the of the building (rather than the usual amount of effort that went into selecsystem of keeping both in the same plane) frees space between the main girders and ceiling for the introduction of these ducts and pipes.

Flexibility in the arrangement of spaces is allowed by the easily-moved cinderblock partitions and by the spespaces are desired. Accordingly all of building. This grid which forms the

Flood In Walker

(Continued from page 1) 10:26 p.m. At 10:30 p.m. water was seen pouring into Walker Memorial Mulholland; Rhb, Mellen; Fb, Coult. through the basement doors. The drains at the bottom of the stairs outside these doors were clogged with to a depth of six inches. The front depth of three-quarters of an inch in some places before the flow of water was diverted to the drains by clearing the leaves away. Sawdust was piled in front of the doors of some of the basement rooms to prevent their inundation. The office remained flooded

all night, since there was no way for

the water to run off.

Dorrance Building

According to Progressive Architect-

tion and organization of laboratory equipment was at least equal to that expended on all other architectural

Also mentioned was the transparency of the link between the new building and Building 8. "The east and west walls of the stair-hall connecting element was glazed to maintain a degree of visual continuity surface of the slab provides for either between two parts of the campus."

Field Day Football

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Sophmore Roster: Line: Jim Mulholland, Schaffer. Copps, Calvert, Sen, Watts, Korelitz, tempt to keep things under control. Layson, Carlson, Stapleford, Foster, The gathering was broken up when Senechelle, Peck, Fulks, Huber, the Sophomores tear gassed the room.

Jacobs, and Bertan. Backfield:: Tym, Coult, John Mulholland, Mellen, Becker, Gerber, Culick, and Beckett.

WRESTLING PRACTICE

Varsity and freshman wrestling held in a room which turned out to be practice will start on Monday, Nov- the men's room. As a result of these ember 2, in the Rockwell Cage. All confusing tactics, the council did not interested are urged to try out.

FreshmanCouncil **MeetingCancelled** Class Of '56

An intended Freshman rally was broken up last Monday when the Sophamores decided to hold an unofficial meeting in the same room a short time before the scheduled one. When the Freshmen arrived in 10-250 at 5:00 p.m., a large number of seats were filled by Sophomores.

Edward Johnson, '56, Sophomore president, gave a short pep talk and was heartily cheered. When someone asked, "who is going to win field day?" the cheers of the Class of '56 drowned out the outnumbered Frosh. James Schubin, '57, Freshman Class president, made a rather feeble at-

The Freshmen were quelled again by the Sophomores last Tuesday. The Wolff, Frosh Council was supposed to meet at 5:00 p.m., but some Sophomores got there first and posted a sign on the door saying the meeting would be meet at all.

